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Looks good!

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I've added in the numbers; sorry for missing those first time around.

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Many thanks in advance for your quick review and feedback – we have several inquiries and are hoping to get EPA perspective included in this afternoon’s news coverage.

Thanks!

Dave

Desk Statement

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Additional Background:

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- Announcement of comment period for proposal (deadline has since be extended to July 18, 2016): <https://www.epa.gov/newsreleases/epa-proposes-designate-dredged-material-disposal-site-eastern-long-island-sound>

- General info on proposal, and link to the detailed document: <https://www.epa.gov/ocean-dumping/dredged-material-management-long-island-sound#Eastern%20Long%20Island%20Sound>

- General info on dredged material management in LIS: <https://www.epa.gov/ocean-dumping/dredged-material-management-long-island-sound>

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**Subject:** Re: FYI - Expect Gov. Cuomo press conference @ 2PM today re. LIS

Thanks, Dave. Am seeing and adding a couple of colleagues.

On Aug 4, 2016, at 8:05 AM, Deegan, Dave <[Deegan.Dave@epa.gov](mailto:Deegan.Dave@epa.gov)> wrote:

Hi All,

Attached are 3 emails from reporters this morning – apparently Governor Cuomo is holding a press conference today to bolster NY’s position in opposition to EPA taking action on the Eastern LIS disposal site.

They are of course requesting additional EPA response so I am available to assist should we wish to provide anything beyond what we have already stated.

Can someone also please forward this to whoever would cover for Mark Rupp, as he has an out of office message running so I want to be sure someone in OCIR is aware of this.

Dave

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